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TRACT 33387 - Iberville and St. Martin Parishes, Louisiana

All of the lands now or formerly constituting the beds and bottoms of al water bodies of every nature and description and all islands and other land formed by accretion or reliction, except tax lands, owned by and not unde mineral lease from the State of Louisiana on April 11, 2001, situated i Iberville and St. Martin Parishes, Louisiana, within the following describe Beginning at the Southeast corner of State Lease No. 169(having Coordinates of X = 1,946,114.93 and Y = 542,487.08; thence Nort 17,000.00 feet along the East line of said State Lease No. 16909 to it Northeast corner having Coordinates of X = 1,946,114.93 and Y = 559,487.08thence East 10,585.07 feet to a point having Coordinates of X = 1,956,700.0and Y = 559,487.08; thence South 17,000.00 feet to a point having Coordinate of X = 1,956,700.00 and Y = 542,487.08; thence West 10,585.07 feet to the point of beginning, LESS AND EXCEPT all that portion of State Lease No. 1624that may lie within the above described tract as of January 19, 2001 containing approximately 276 acres, as shown outlined in red on a plat c file in the Office of Mineral Resources, Department of Natural Resources, ϵ provided by the applicant. All bearings, distances and coordinates are base on Louisiana Coordinate System of 1927 (South Zone).

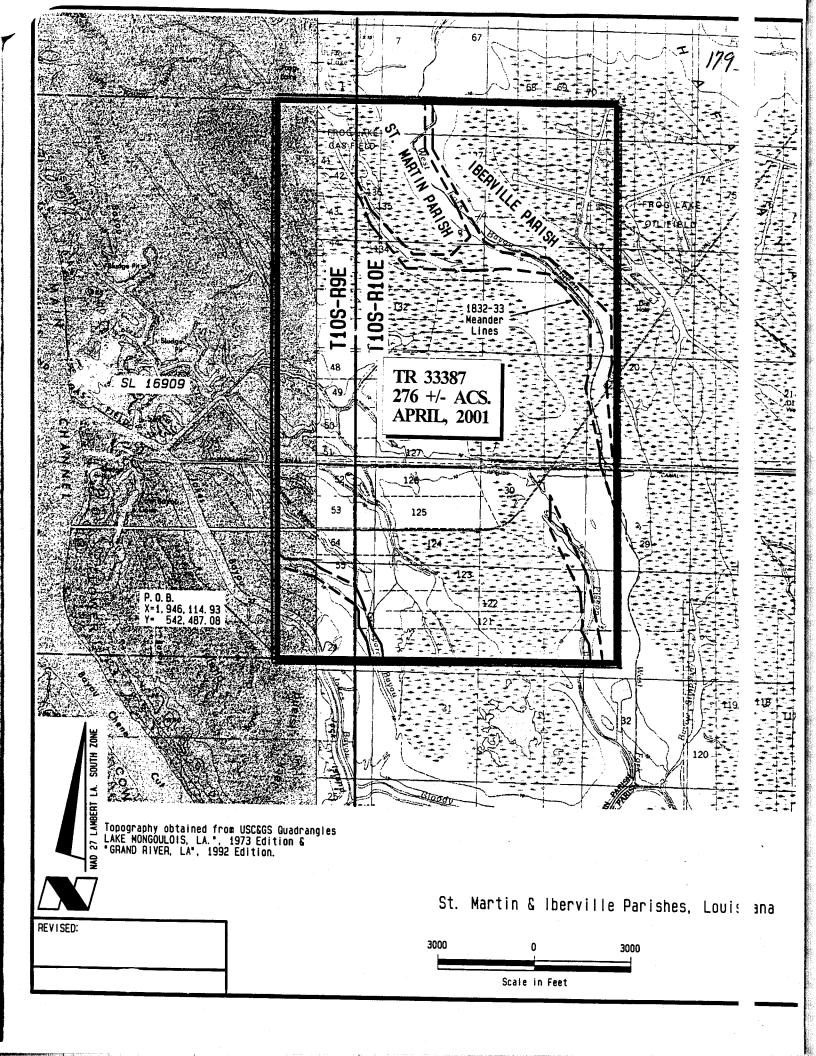
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10% administration fee or \$10 and \$5 per acre fees due as a resulof staff determination of more State acreage in the bid area the determined by the successful bidder will be paid prior to the least being issued. A determination of less State acreage in the bid are will result in a return to the successful bidder of any overpayment.

Applicant: JMR Development, Inc.

Bidder	Cash Payment	Price / Acre	Rental	Oil	Gas	Other
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TRACT 33388 - St. Martin Parish, Louisiana

All of the lands now or formerly constituting the beds and bottoms of al water bodies of every nature and description and all islands and other land formed by accretion or reliction, except tax lands, owned by and not unde mineral lease from the State of Louisiana on April 11, 2001, situated in St Parish, Louisiana, within the following described boundaries Beginning at a point on the South line of State Lease No. 16909 havir Coordinates of X = 1,939,900.00 and Y = 542,487.08; thence South 18,387.(feet to a point having Coordinates of X = 1,939,900.00 and Y = 524,100.00thence West 18,400.00 feet to a point having Coordinates of X = 1,921,500.0and Y = 524,100.00; thence North 18,387.08 feet to a point having Coordinate of X = 1,921,500.00 and Y = 542,487.08; thence East 6,134.93 feet to the Southwest corner of said State Lease No. 16909 having Coordinates of X 1,927,634.93 and Y = 542,487.08; thence East 12,265.07 feet along the Sout line of said State Lease No. 16909 to the point of beginning, LESS AND EXCE! that portion of State Lease No. 4956 that lies entirely within the abov described tract, containing approximately 1,008 acres, as shown outlined i red on a plat on file in the Office of Mineral Resources, Department c Natural Resources. All bearings, distances and coordinates are based of Louisiana Coordinate System of 1927 (South Zone).

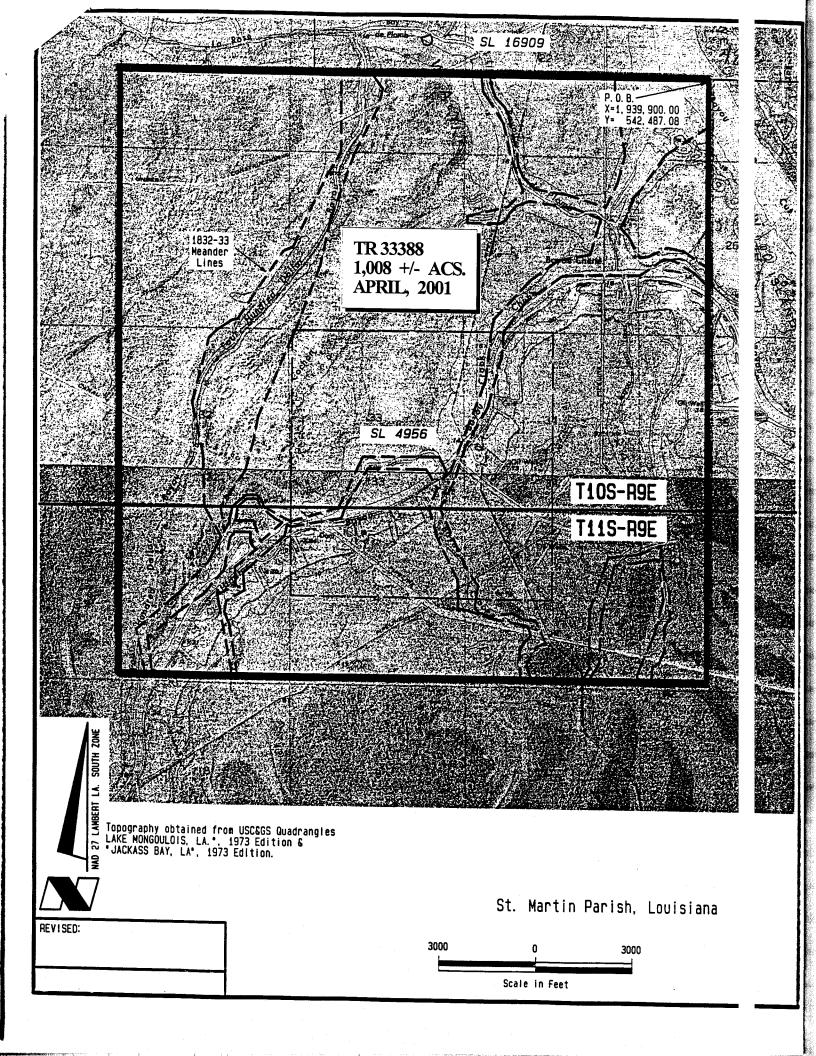
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a new lease will be issued and any additional per acre bonus/rental 10% administration fee or \$10 and \$5 per acre fees due as a resul of staff determination of more State acreage in the bid area the determined by the successful bidder will be paid prior to the least being issued. A determination of less State acreage in the bid are will result in a return to the successful bidder of any overpayment

Applicant: JMR Development, Inc.

Bidder	Cash Payment	Price / Acre	Rental	Oil	Gas	Other
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TRACT 33389 - Iberville and St. Martin Parishes, Louisiana

All of the lands now or formerly constituting the beds and bottoms of al water bodies of every nature and description and all islands and other land formed by accretion or reliction, except tax lands, owned by and not unde mineral lease from the State of Louisiana on April 11, 2001, situated i Iberville and St. Martin Parishes, Louisiana, within the following describe Beginning at a point on the South line of State Lease No. 169(having Coordinates of X = 1,939,900.00 and Y = 542,487.08; thence Eas 6,214.93 feet along the South line of said State Lease No. 16909 to it Southeast corner having Coordinates of X = 1,946,114.93 and Y = 542,487.08thence East 10,585.07 feet to a point having Coordinates of X = 1,956,700.0and Y = 542,487.08; thence South 18,387.08 feet to a point having Coordinate of X = 1,956,700.00 and Y = 524,100.00; thence West 16,800.00 feet to a poir having Coordinates of X = 1,939,900.00 and Y = 524,100.00; thence Nort 18,387.08 feet to the point of beginning, LESS AND EXCEPT all that portion c State Lease No. 16240 that may lie within the above described tract as c January 19, 2001, containing approximately 1,240 acres, as shown outlined i red on a plat on file in the Office of Mineral Resources, Department of Natural Resources, as provided by the applicant. All bearings, distances ar coordinates are based on Louisiana Coordinate System of 1927 (South Zone).

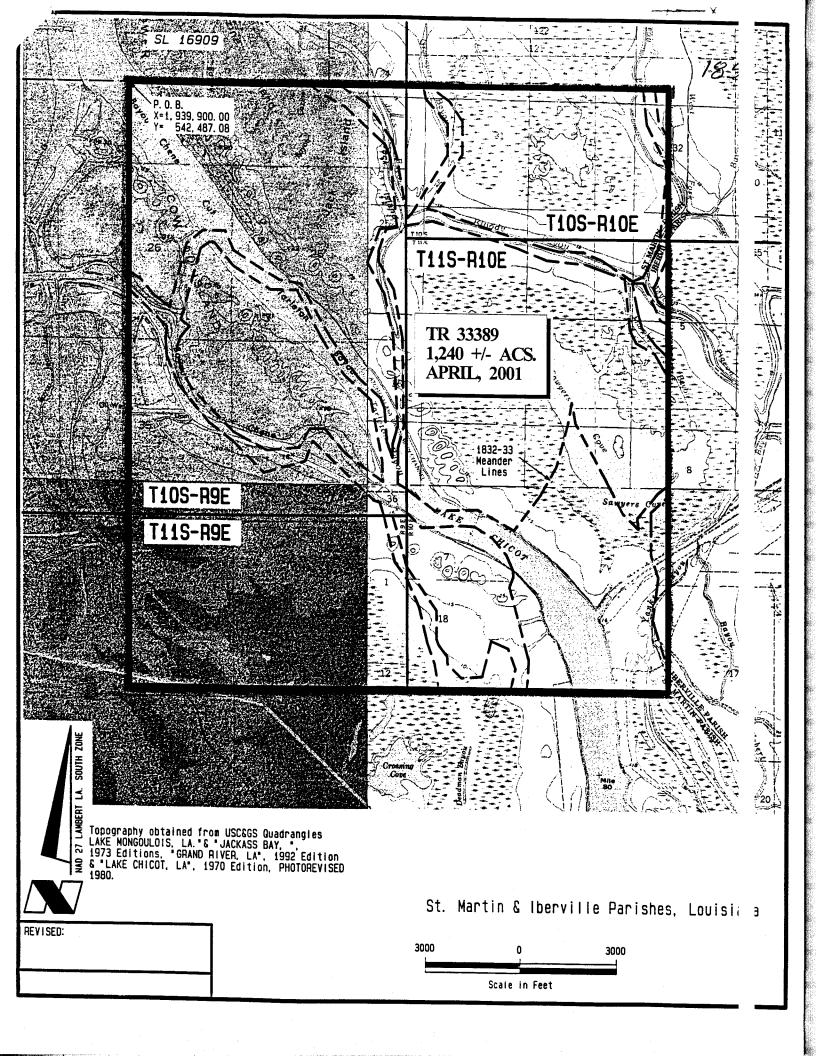
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a new lease will be issued and any additional per acre bonus/rental 10% administration fee or \$10 and \$5 per acre fees due as a resul of staff determination of more State acreage in the bid area that determined by the successful bidder will be paid prior to the least being issued. A determination of less State acreage in the bid area will result in a return to the successful bidder of any overpayment

Applicant: JMR Development, Inc.

Bidder	Cash Payment	Price / Acre	Rental	Oil	Gas	Other



TRACT 33390 - PORTION OF BLOCK 43, SHIP SHOAL AREA, Terrebonne Parish Louisiana

All of the lands now or formerly constituting the beds and bottoms of al water bodies of every nature and description and all islands and other land formed by accretion or reliction, except tax lands, belonging to the State (Louisiana and not under mineral lease on April 11, 2001, situated in Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana, and more particularly described as follows Beginning at a point in Block 43, Ship Shoal Area, having Coordinates of X 2,179,150.00 and Y = 144,896.79; thence East approximately 7,229.57 feet t a point having Coordinates of X = 2,186,379.57 and Y = 144,896.79; then South approximately 9,771.992 feet to a point having Coordinates of X 2,186,379.75 and Y = 134,924.7985; thence West approximately 7,229.57 feet t a point having Coordinates of X = 2,179,175.98 and Y = 134,924.799; then North approximately 9,771.992 feet to the point of beginning, containing approximately 1,652.06 acres, as shown outlined in red on a plat on file i the Office of Mineral Resources, Department of Natural Resources, as provide by the applicant. All bearings, distances and coordinates are based (Louisiana Coordinate System of 1927 (South Zone).

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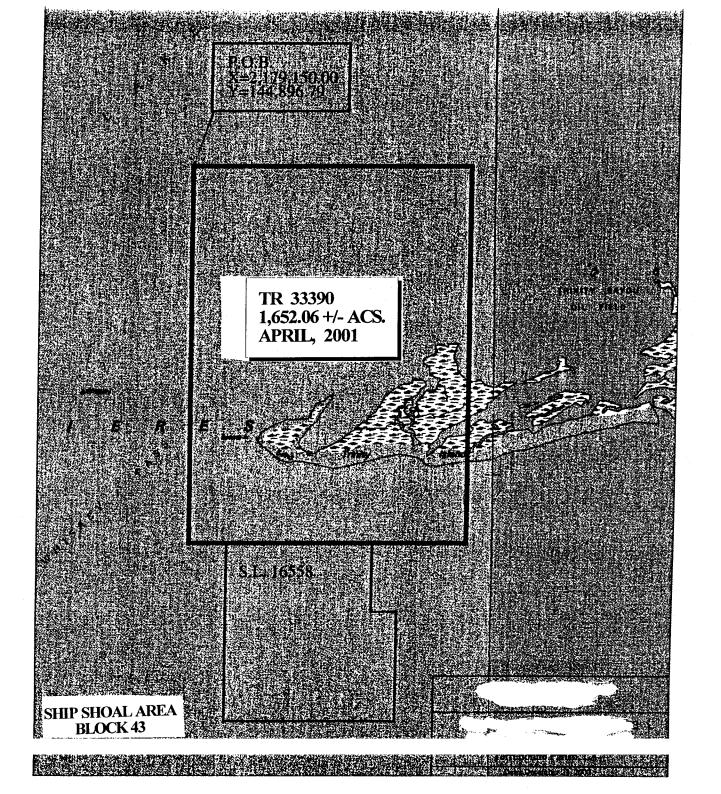
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NOTE:

The State of Louisiana does hereby reserve, and this lease shall k subject to, the imprescriptible right of surface use in the natur of a servitude in favor of the Department of Natural Resources including its Offices and Commissions, for the sole purpose c implementing, constructing, servicing and maintaining approve coastal zone management and/or restoration projects. Utilization c any and all rights derived under this lease by the mineral lesses its agents, successors or assigns, shall not interfere with no hinder the reasonable surface use by the Department of Natura Resources, its Offices or Commissions, as hereinabove reserved.

Applicant: Merlin Oil & Gas, Inc.

Bidder	Cash Payment	Price / Acre	Rental	Oil	Gas	Other



TRACT 33391 - PORTION OF BLOCK 54, MAIN PASS AREA, REVISED, Plaquemine Parish, Louisiana

All of the lands now or formerly constituting the beds and bottoms of al water bodies of every nature and description and all islands and other land formed by accretion or reliction, except tax lands, belonging to the State c Louisiana and not under mineral lease on April 11, 2001, situated i Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, and more particularly described as follows Beginning at a point on the West line of Block 54, Main Pass Area, Revised said point having Coordinates of X = 2,679,600.00 and Y = 258,860.00; thence East 14,750.00 feet to a point on the East line of said Block 54 having Coordinates of X = 2,694,350.00 and Y = 258,860.00; thence South 4,700.0 feet along the East line of said Block 54 to the Northeast corner of Stat Lease No. 16793 having Coordinates of X = 2,694,350.00 and Y = 254,160.00thence West 2,034.00 feet along the North line of said State Lease No. 1679 to its Northwest corner having Coordinates of X = 2,692,316.00 and Y254,160.00; thence South 5,064.00 feet along the West line of said Stat 16793 to its Southwest corner having Coordinates of X 2,692,316.00 and Y = 249,096,00; thence South 50 degrees 34 minutes 4 seconds East 2,633.01 feet along the South line of said State Lease No. 1679 to its Southeast corner, said corner also being a point on the East line c said Block 54, having Coordinates of X = 2,694,350.00 and Y = 247,424.00thence South approximately 3,392 feet along the East line of said Block 54 t its Southeast corner; thence Northwesterly approximately 17,273 feet alon the Southern boundary of said Block 54 to a corner; thence Southwesterl approximately 2,154 feet along the Southern boundary of said Block 54 to the intersection of a line having a Coordinate of X = 2,679,600, being the Southwest corner of said Block 54; thence North approximately 3,740 feet t the point of beginning, containing approximately 2,499 acres, outlined in red on a plat on file in the Office of Mineral Resources Department of Natural Resources, as provided by the applicant. All bearings distances and coordinates are based on Louisiana Coordinate System of 192 (South Zone).

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